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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby respond to the Office Action dated July 24, 2006, and respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following amendments and remarks. A shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire October 24, 2006. This response is submitted by that date and no fee is believed to be owed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 4 of this paper;

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper; and

Conclusion begins on page 16 of this paper.